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## **Press Release**

Leroy D. Baca, Sheriff

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| Classification:       | Arrest for Vehicular Manslaughter, 192(c)(1) PC | Incident Date: | 12/20/2009 |
| Author / Date / Time: | Sergeant Don Mueller, 3/9/2010, 1:00 PM         | Incident Time: | 6:45 AM    |

| Incident Location: | Southbound Hawthorne Blvd at Alta Vista Drive, Rancho Palos Verdes |
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| C/P Location:      |  |

| Victim(s): | Jamel Kammoun – Age 49 | Suspect(s): | Male Juvenile – Age 17 |  |
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## Narrative:

On today's date, March 9<sup>th</sup>, a 17-year-old male juvenile was booked for Vehicular Manslaughter in connection with a fatal collision that occurred this past December in the city of Rancho Palos Verdes. On December 20, 2009, the male juvenile was driving southbound on Hawthorne Boulevard at speeds estimated at over 90 MPH when he lost control of his vehicle and drove up over a curb, striking 49-year-old Rancho Palos Verdes resident Jamel Kammoun. Mr. Kammoun was transported to Harbor-UCLA Medical Center where he died of his injuries.

The juvenile subject will be arraigned later this week at Inglewood Juvenile Court and faces up to six years in the state prison if convicted.

## For Additional Information Contact:

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